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GEORGE ALFRED CALDWELL.

The following article upon the death of Mr. Caldwell was written by Geo. D. Prentice and clipped from the Louisville Journal at the time it appeared. It has been in the possession of Mr. H. B. Simpson, of Casey's Creek, this county, all this time, who brought it to the News for republication.

The distinguished and useful citizen of our city and State are being stricken down with fearful rapidity. Death is enmeshed of our brightest landmarks, and their luster pales within the dark and cheerless confines of the tomb. The report yesterday morning, that another pioneer and estimable Kentuckian, Colonel George Alfred Caldwell, was no more, occasioned the deepest sorrow throughout the city; and wherever, in our broad Commonwealth, the sad tidings shall be heard, the people will grieve for the loss of a gallant and brilliant spirit. The circumstances of Colonel Caldwell's death were most melancholy. He was found dead in his bed by his old and faithful servant, Isaac, at 7 o'clock yesterday morning. The Colonel had retired earlier than was his custom, on account of feeling unusually bad from an infirmity (the rheumatism) with which he had been afflicted for many years. About 3 o'clock Isaac went into his old master's room to black his shoes for the morning according to an invariable rule. At this time Colonel Caldwell was awake and uncomplaining, and he and Isaac exchanged some commonplace remarks. But when the servant returned to the room at 7 o'clock to call the Colonel for breakfast, he was cold in death. He had expired, it is thought, from a sudden heart pang caused by the disease to which he had been a prey so long.

Colonel Caldwell was born at Columbia, Adair county, Ky., in October, 1814, and was consequently in the fifty-second year of his age. That half-century life was made illustrious by achievements in the military and civil spheres of action to which he was called, and graced by a prepossessing social genius. The deceased graduated at St. Joseph's College, Bardonia, Ky., in 1835, and as a Doctor of Law in the law school at Lexington, Ky., class of 1836-7. His talents were rapid in their development and in their recognition by the people. He was elected a member of the State Legislature from his native county in 1839, and again in 1840. Four years subsequently he was put forward as the Democratic candidate for Congress and was elected after a canvass memorable as one of the most exciting and brilliant in the politics of Kentucky. Hon. Joshua F. Bell was his defeated opponent. When war was declared against Mexico, in 1846, Colonel Caldwell entered the service as a major in the quartermaster's department. In the following year, 1847, he received his commission as first major in the Voltigeur regiment, and was engaged in most or all the principal battles in the Valley of Mexico, on General Scott's line. In the capture of the heights of Chapultepec, Colonel Caldwell led the storming party, his superior officer, General Joseph E. Johnston, having fallen badly wounded in that storm of fire and blood. For his dauntless and glorious charge upon these formidable works, Colonel Caldwell was brevetted Lieutenant Colonel, which rank he maintained until the close of the war and his retirement from the army in 1848.

In 1849 he was again elected to Congress from the Fourth District, by an overwhelming majority. At the ensuing election, 1851, he declined the Congressional race. Early in 1853 he removed to Louisville to pursue the profession of the law, since when he has eschewed politics altogether, notwithstanding the importunities of his party admirers and friends.

We have necessarily adverted to but a few of the honorable events in the public life of the deceased. From the period of his legal graduation until he breathed his last, he was the cynosure of all who knew him. Whether in the field, or on the forum, or at the bar, he inspired the appreciative confidence and admiration of his fellow soldiers and fellow countrymen. And in the domestic and social circles he was respected, loved and worshipped for those natural gifts of heart and a polished culture of mind whose fascinating power none could withstand. The history of such a man has its truest and fairest exponent in the hearts and memory of those who were endeared to

him in life. The loss of such a man is irreparable.

Colonel Caldwell was a bachelor, but he leaves several brothers, sisters, and other relatives to lament his unexpected death. We offer them the full-measured sympathy of the Commonwealth.

The professional friends and associates of Colonel Caldwell have called a meeting, to be held at 10 o'clock this morning, for the purpose of expressing their sorrow and paying a suitable tribute to his memory.

The funeral takes place at 3 o'clock P. M. to-morrow, from the residence of Dr. Wm. Caldwell, brother of the deceased, corner of Second and Walnut streets.

THE COUNTY PAPER.

If there is anybody who deserves pity and commiseration it's the editor of the county paper. Every evil wind that blows is sure to strike this shorn lamb on the south side, and every mistake made in the county is laid at his door. The woman who makes preserves by a receipt found in his sheet, and lets them burn while she gossips with a neighbor over the back fence, blames him for printing a receipt that isn't good. The man who runs for office and gets defeated, lays it on the editor because the paper didn't support him, and the man who wins, instead of being thankful that he got there, resents it because his majority isn't as large as it might have been had the editorials been more enthusiastic. The girl who marries thinks he might compliment her more when the truth is he has exhausted every adjective in the dictionary in his description of the nuptials; and all the old maids in town get mad if he doesn't mention it in the paper every time they happen to have a beau. In fact, he has the butcher, the baker and the candle-stick maker to please, as well as all the bank officials and bloated bondholders. And there are always plenty of kind-hearted (God save the mark!) people who drop in to tell him of mistakes and how the paper ought to be run. He's always glad to see these friends, for they are generally two or three years behind with their subscriptions, and he can't help having a faint hope every time they come in that they are going to settle up at last. And all he gets for his cordial welcome is a lot of cold advice, when he knows the family has been living for a week on a man-of-war beef somebody brought to the office.—Ranvier in Danville Advocate.

A CATTLE FEEDING PLAN.

A dispatch from Chicago says plans that were taken into consideration about a year ago have been developed in the last few months to the profit where some of the great packing establishments in Chicago have begun experiments on what may prove revolution of the cattle industry of the country.

The project involves the settlement of several hundred thousand acres of what is at present nearly valueless land in Northern and Northwestern Florida and Southern Alabama, the cultivation on a large scale of the cassava root, and its use in feeding cattle and hogs. If the plan develops as it is now in the minds of the leading packers, the Southern States will become the center of the cattle-raising industry. It is stated that arrangements are now being made for the accommodation of a considerable number of cattle to be shipped from the stock yards there to Northern Florida to be fed on cassava root.

The result of the fattening process will be compared with similar work in the West, regarding which the conditions are already definitely known. The result obtained will determine the future of the cassava experiment.

WHAT CONGRESS DID TO HIM.

The president is a man who lives in an atmosphere of vigorous optimism. He is one of those strenuous parties who never seems to admit defeat, but turns hopefully to some other way to reach the end that momentarily may have been missed. Otherwise he could not have talked as chipper as he did at Pittsburgh about what has been done and will yet be done to make his administration successful and glorious.

The ordinary citizen looking at the record of what congress did to him and his official projects, presented and urged in his message of December last, would surely be less sanguine and chary of prophecy. We cannot recall any president of recent times who has

received so little consideration from his party in congress.

Take, for instance, the Cuban reciprocity measure. So utter a failure to carry his point would have been a sore discomfiture to the administration of any other man than this new manner of president. Indeed, however, of feazing him he stands up with unwrinkled front and tells the people that what he demanded twice of congress and didn't get, will yet come "as sure as fate!" It takes a very cheerful temperament to discuss a signal defeat in that fashion.

Then there were his demands for government supervision of the trusts and for a law requiring publicity of their methods that were ruthlessly ignored. Yet the president goes to the home of his attorney general and lauds that officer for his tremendous energy in chasing the trusts—notwithstanding that his bearers had just come from the market where the beef trust, the meanest of the tribe, had exacted a large slice of pure loot in return for every cut of steak, every chop and every slice of ham!

Nor did the president get his law against anarchy, nor the ship subsidy, nor the national militia act, nor the general staff for the army, nor the application of the civil service to the domestic and insular service, nor the reorganization of the consular service, nor the department of commerce and labor! The Philippines bill was the only partisan measure he did obtain, for the canal bill, the irrigation bill and the creation of a permanent census bureau were non-partisan acts and cannot figure as presidential victories. Really, congress seems to have been in a decidedly anti-Roosevelt humor all the way through the session and the president cannot very well "point with pride" to his achievements in his first endeavors to lead the party and maintain its prestige.—Atlanta Constitution.

CURE FOR SMALLPOX.

"I am willing to risk my reputation as a public man," wrote Edward Filice to the Liverpool Mercury, "if the worst case of small pox can not be cured in three days by the use of cream of tartar. One ounce of cream of tartar dissolved in a pint of boiling water, drunk at intervals, when cold, is a certain never failing remedy. It has cured thousands, never leaves a mark, never causes blindness and averts tedious lingering."—Copied from the Living Church by Mrs. Henry Pilcher.

President G. Stanley Hall, of Clark University, has been studying the alleged almost total absence of insanity among negroes. He believes it is because being newer to civilization, the race has not run through so many different and crucial experiences at the white race. President Hall, says the Charleston News and Courier, can get some invaluable information from Dr. Babcock, of the South Carolina state hospital for the insane. He will probably discover that insanity, almost unknown among negroes in slavery days, is now increasing at an alarming rate.

"California melons are going into the eastern market to fight it out with the Colorado melons, to prove that Rocky Ford is not the only cantaloupe on the vine," says the Los Angeles Herald. "The Southern Pacific Railroad has taken sides with the India melon, which the railroad will undertake to deliver at Chicago and New York on passenger train time. It is expected that the shipments this year will amount to 220 to 300 carloads."

We are with the Buffalo Times when it says that there is plenty of splendid material in the democratic party from which to make selection, but there is no need for haste in the matter. It is practically settled that the republican candidate, barring death and other unforeseen disaster, will be either Han-nan or Roosevelt; there is no need of worrying over the identity of his opponent at this juncture. All the democratic party need do this fall is to get the various States into such condition that their candidate of 1904, who ever he may be, will receive the full and undivided vote of the party. In that way and in no other will his election be assured.

M. N. Egner, of Louisville, aged 72 years, wants a divorce because his wife whips him without a cause.

In Leslie county John Howard, aged 60 years, married Miss Sallie Hale, aged 16.

MISSIONARY MEETING.

Missionary program, to be held at Mt. Zion, July 23.

10 a. m. Devotional service, T. H. Coffey.

10:15. When we took the vows of the church did we promise to contribute to Foreign and Domestic Missions? W. C. Loy and T. J. Campbell.

10:30. Can we pay the assessments in full, and shall we do it? G. R. Abrel and J. P. Vanhook.

11. Missionary sermon S. G. Shelley.

Afternoon, Quarterly Conference. 2 p. m. Foreign Missionary and Home Mission Societies, Mrs. S. G. Shelley.

Why organize Sunday-schools into Missionary Societies? W. P. Gordon, J. V. Dudley.

Dinner on the ground. Everybody is invited.

J. P. Vanhook, P. C.

THE FAIRS.

Richmond, third week in July.
Crab Orchard, fourth week in July.
Georgetown, fourth week in July.
Hustonsville, fifth week in July.
Danville, first week in August.
Lexington, second week in August.
Russell Springs, August 12, 13, 14.
Columbia, August 19, four days.
Maysville, third week in August.
Lawrenceburg, third week in Aug.
Broadhead, Aug. 20, three days.
Liberty, Aug. 27, three days.
Bardonia and Glasgow, first week September.
Elizabethtown and Bowling Green, second week in September.
Interstate Fair, Louisville, fourth week in September.

Geo. Elliott, a farmer of Mercer county, hanged himself in his barn. Later his wife was found on the roadside with her head mutilated and dying. Previous to this Elliott had told a neighbor a horse had kicked her. They had had trouble.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE BANK OF COLUMBIA

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON THE 30th DAY OF JUNE, 1902.

RESOURCES.
Loans and discounts.....\$54,829.95
Overdrafts, secured.....388.56
Overdrafts, unsecured.....451.78
Due from National Banks.....\$1,158.50
Due from State Banks and Bankers.....49,929.21
Banking as use and lot.....2,000.00
Mortgages.....12,122.89
Other stocks and bonds.....60,075.17
Specie.....8,277.06
Currency.....12,889.00
Other items carried as Cash.....4.85
Furniture and fixtures.....1,000.00
Expenses, last quarter.....661.80
Give description, location, value and how long owned, all real estate, except banking houses and lot. If any owned longer than five years. Don't own any.

LIABILITIES.
Capital stock paid in, in cash.....\$30,000.00
Surplus fund.....8,000.00
Undivided Profits.....719.48
Deposits subject to check, on which interest is not paid.....178,061.50
Due National Banks.....1.99

SUPPLEMENTARY.
Highest amount of indebtedness of any stockholder, person, company or firm (including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof) directly or indirectly, if such indebtedness exceeds 20 per cent. of capital stock actually paid in, and actual amount of surplus of the bank. None.
Highest amount of indebtedness of any director or officer, if amount of such indebtedness exceeds 10 per cent. of paid-up capital stock of bank. None.
Does amount of indebtedness of any person, company or firm, including in the liability of the company or firm, the liability of the individual members thereof, exceed 30 per cent. of paid-up capital and actual surplus? No.
Amount of last dividend.....1,300.00
Were a expenses, losses, interest and taxes deducted therefrom before declaring a dividend, and was not less than 10 per cent. of net profits of the bank for the period covered by the dividend carried to the surplus fund before said dividend was declared? Nothing carried to surplus. Our surplus exceeds 10 per cent. of capital.
\$216,782.97

STATE OF KENTUCKY.

COUNTY OF ADAIR.

Jo Coffey, Cashier of the Bank of Columbia, a bank located and doing business in the town of Columbia, in said county, being duly sworn, says that the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of said bank at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1902, to the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says that the business of said bank has been transacted at the location named, and not elsewhere, and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State, designating the 30th day of June, 1902, as the day on which said report shall be made.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of July, 1902.

Wm. A. Coffey, N. P. A. C. Ky.

Commission expires July 18, 1901.

Jo Coffey, Cashier.

JAMES GRANT, Director.

R. P. PAUL, Director.

W. W. JONES, Director.

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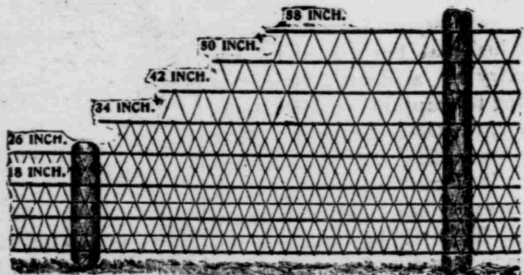
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